



Media Information

Columbus Division of Police

Date: 10/16/19

Traffic Bureau / Accident Investigation Unit

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Type of Offense/Incident: Fatal Traffic Crash

Date: 10/12/2019

Time: 10:03 PM

Location of Offense/Incident: Morse Rd. / Sunbury Rd.

Zone: 1

Precinct: 6

Incident Report #: 190865761

Cruiser District: 61

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Incident Summary: On Saturday, October 12, 2019 at 10:03 PM, Ms. Jane Doe was driving a Toyota Camry westbound on Morse Rd. east of Sunbury Rd. On board were sisters Ms. Anju Biswakarma (24) and Ms. Srijana Biswakarma (22), both of Marbella Pl. At this time, Mr. Kobie Stillwell (18) of Marrus Dr. in Gahanna, was driving an Audi A6 eastbound on Morse Rd., west of the intersection of Sunbury Rd. On board were Mr. JaShawn Scott (17), of Mistletoe St. in Gahanna, and Mr. Khaleb Watson (17) of Secor Ct. The two cars collided within the intersection of Morse Rd. and Sunbury Rd. Mr. Stillwell's vehicle then collided with a Toyota Tacoma that was stopped and unoccupied in the left turn lane from westbound Morse Rd. to southbound Sunbury Rd.

Passersby assisted Mr. Watson, Mr. Stillwell, and Mr. Scott out of the Audi, just before it caught fire. EMS personnel transported Mr. Stillwell and Mr. Watson to Grant Medical Center, where they were examined for non-life-threatening injuries. Mr. Scott was transported to Mt. Carmel East Hospital where he was admitted for life-threatening injuries.

EMS personnel pronounced Ms. Doe and Ms. Anju Biswakarma dead at the scene. Ms. Srijana Biswakarma was taken to Mt. Carmel East Hospital where she was admitted in life-threatening condition.

The Accident Investigation Unit responded and initiated an investigation, which remains ongoing.

Ms. Doe's identity has not yet been confirmed.

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******Update: On October 16, 2019 at 6:50 AM, the Franklin County Coroner's Office was notified of the death of Mr. JaShawn Scott at Mt. Carmel East Hospital.**

Ms. Srijana Biswakarma remains in Critical Condition at Mt. Carmel East Hospital.

Jane Doe's identity is still pending confirmation by the Franklin County Coroner's Office.

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*****UPDATE: "Jane Doe" has now been confirmed as Ms. Kumari Biswakarma (40) of Marbella PI. Kumari Biswakarma is the mother of the two passengers in her vehicle; Anju Biswakarma (deceased) and Srijana Biswakari, who is still listed in Critical Condition at Mt. Carmel East Hospital.**

This investigation is ongoing.

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